



Exeter Company of Archers News Letter October 2013

Welcome to the 5th edition of 2013

Congratulations!

Karen Williams is now in the DCAS team



She now joins Andrew Hoyle, Chris Quinn and Myra Hingston in the DCAS County Team. Making 4 archers from ECOA

Members Achievements in Tournaments

July

Kenwith Company of Archers Open Shoot

Keith Hingston	York	GLB	Medal
Myra Hingston	York	LLB	Trophy & Medal

August

DCAS & Redruth Archers World Record double FITA Star

Saturday – Redruth Awards for Single FITA

Scott Williams	GLB	Trophy & Gold Medal
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Sunday – DCAS Awards for Single FITA

Andrew Hoyle	GR	Dragon Bowl Trophy & Gold Medal
Scott Williams	GLB	DCAS Trophy & Medal
Karen Williams	LR	Silver Medal

Redruth Awards for Double FITA

Andrew Hoyle	GR	Silver Medal
Scott Williams	GLB	Trophy & Gold Medal
Karen Williams	LR	Silver Medal

Outdoor Championship 29th September

Ladies Recurve Outdoor Champion (John Hawley Trophy) – Gina Elsworthy

Gents Recurve Outdoor Champion (Long Warwick Trophy in place of John Hawley Trophy) – Andrew Hoyle

Gents Recurve Novice Champion (Rose Bowl –) – Marc Coombes

Gents Barebow Champion (Crescent Trophy) – Phillip Rees

Gents Longbow Champion (Founders Trophy) – Scott Williams

Ladies Longbow Champion – Shirley King

Ladies Recurve Novice Champion (Lammas Fair Cup) – Ruby Coombes

Ladies Barebow Champion (Gold Cup) – Nadine Loick

Junior Boys Champion (O'Rourke Trophy) – Lewis Coombes

Junior Girls Champion (Shield) – Sophie Gratton

WARWICK SEASON 2012/13

Short Warwick Recurve Champion Gents(shield) – Marc Coombes

Short Warwick Recurve Champion Ladies (medal) – Gina Elsworthy

Short Warwick Longbow Champion Gents(shield) – Chris Chopping

Short Warwick Longbow Champion Lady(small cup) – Christine Oakes

FRIENDSHIP TROPHY: Chris Quinn

HANDICAP IMPROVEMENT MEDAL: Ray Staines
The weather was warm, light breeze, and pleasant cloud cover. We had 27 entries double the number from last year, apologies to those who couldn't shoot because of the change of dates, but it did mean more archers could attend. Shooting went well and hopefully all archers enjoyed the day. Winners were those who scored the highest in the discipline regardless of the distances they shot. There was a short award ceremony at the end, where club records, classification badges, and DCAS postal Awards were handed out.

Any feedback on this year's Championships to Scott Williams please

Minutes of the AGM held on 24th September are available at reception

Committee member for 2013/2014

Chairman	Karen Williams
Secretary	Karen Grasse
Treasurer	Chris Quinn
Membership Treasurer	Karen Williams
Records Officer	Scott Williams
Coaching Co-ordinator	Vacant
Social Secretary	Andy Oakes
Equipment Officer	Andrew Hoyle & Peter Tansley
Junior Rep	Colin Alexander
Newsletter Editor	Joan Holton
Webmaster	Andre Hoyle

There are offices with non-committee status

Coaches	Andrew Karen Mollie & Nigel
Child Protection Officer	Colin Alexander
Tournament Officer	Phil Rees

Membership Renewal

Anyone who hasn't renewed on 1 October is lapsed and must bring their membership payment before we can let them shoot.

Annual Shooting Fee – Senior £96. Junior and Pensioner £48

For Sale

Correction – Please note if shooting anywhere **other than at your club, or GNAS Tournament** you will NOT be covered by GNAS Insurance.

ACO Decut ABS Bow Case 6 months old see Quicks cat Page 59 i for details £25. Contact joanholton@sky.com

Pop a Bivvy in its own carry bag NEW £15. Contact joanholton@sky.com

Phil Anning has several items for sale. A copy of his list is attached to the newsletter e mail

Some Platform Tabs are now available at reception for £10

Club polo shirts and sweatshirts can be purchased from Christine Oakes

Anniversary Mugs may still be available, please ask if you are interested

Coaching Availability– Indoor Season

Sunday or by request – Andrew Karen Mollie and Nigel

Indoor Shooting starts 1st October

Tuesday 08:00 until 10:00

Friday 07:00 until 09:30

Sunday 02:00 until 04:00

All archers are expected to help with putting equipment out and putting equipment away, while we do understand you might not always get there on time, arriving late and leaving early before equipment is put away is not acceptable

Bow Hire

1. No bow is to be take away from the club, unless it is for a club event e.g. Have-a-go
2. The first 3 months of bow hire after a beginners is free to anyone who participated in that course
3. We have the right to ask for a bow if it is need on a beginner's course or have-a-go
4. After this the fee will be £2 per session this is to cover cost of maintenance on the equipment



Repair Book

Need repairs to fletch sight or string? Please enter into the repair book at reception and advise Andrew & Peter



Accident Book

Please enter any accidents into the book and report to any committee member

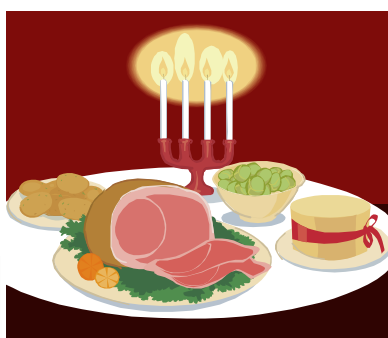
Winter Leagues will start in November

Portsmouth Recurve	1 st Friday of the month
Portsmouth LB & Compound	2 nd Friday of the month
Frostbite (all bow styles)	1 st Sunday of the Month (outdoors setting up from 1.15pm)

Please can we remind everyone that the Pink score sheets are intended to be used for League scores only, so please use white ones when you're submitting non league scores.

Remember to put in your scores to update your indoor handicap, If you haven't got one, you will need to give 3 scores in for Scott to work out a handicap.

***Christmas Meal
Saturday 7th December 2013***



‘The Globe Hotel’
Topsham
7 for 7.30 pm

~ In the Malthouse ~Price per member £12.00 Guests £22.95

Payment by Sunday 24th November please

Any questions please ask Andy O

Place your names on the list, along with your choice for each course



Check the Notice board for Have-a -Go's

Please add your name to the list on the board, even if you can only spare a couple of hours that would be great.

Killerton Cider and Apple Weekend 19th & 20th October. Please remember the club will be closed on the 20th

We are planning to hold a beginners course starting on November 11th and ending on December 15th. 4pm - 6pm and again if you can help that would be great.

Bridwell Park Volunteers



Caption Competition

Chris stuck his spare arrow into the ground next to his bow only to see it disappear through the grass, fletching and all!

Seems he managed to find a hole bored by laser for the zip wire, which was at least a metre deep!

He had to retrieve it as the school don't want arrows left in the field – even if it is 3ft under! (*Sent in by Scott Williams*)



.Send in an appropriate caption for this photo and win a Hotel Chocolate Selector. Entries by 12th December please

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Forthcoming Tournnaments

See www.dcas.org.uk or www.gwas.co.uk to download entry forms, or look in the folder at reception

My thanks to everyone who submitted items for this newsletter, especially Scott who managed to get the results for the championship in time for this edition.

Please send me anything you would like to see in the next issue with photographs if possible.

Jpeg or word documents work best for me

Happy Shooting



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